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-	138	(encapsulat\$4 or inherit\$4) near3 (non\$lobjct or legacy)	USPAT; US-PGPUB; EPO; JPO; DERWENT; IBM_TDB	2004/02/17 19:48
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1 Towards nanocomputer architecture 90%



Paul Beckett , Andrew Jennings

Australian Computer Science Communications , Proceedings of the seventh Asia-Pacific conference on Computer systems architecture - Volume 6 January 2002
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At the nanometer scale, the focus of micro-architecture will move from processing to communication. Most general computer architectures to date have been based on a "stored program" paradigm that differentiates between memory and processing and relies on communication over busses and other (relatively) long distance mechanisms. Nanometer-scale electronics --- nanoelectronics - promises to fundamentally change the ground-rules. Processing will be cheap and plentiful, interconnection expensive but ...

2 SmartFiles: an OO approach to data file interoperability 89%








Matthew Haines , Piyush Mehrotra , John Van Rosendale

ACM SIGPLAN Notices , Proceedings of the tenth annual conference on Object-oriented programming systems, languages, and applications October 1995

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Data files for scientific and engineering codes typically consist of a series of raw data values whose description is buried in the programs that interact with these files. In this situation, making even minor changes in the file structure or sharing files between programs (interoperability) can only be done after careful examination of the data files and the I/O statements of the programs interacting with this file. In short, scientific data files lack self-description, and other self-describin ...

- 3** Customizing IDL mappings and ORB protocols 79%
 Girish Welling , Maximilian Ott
IFIP/ACM International Conference on Distributed systems platforms April 2000
- Current mappings of IDL to implementation languages such as C++ or Java use CORBA specific data-types, which makes it imperative for an object implementation to be CORBA-compliant. While being completely CORBA-compliant ensures portability and interoperability, several classes of enterprise applications may *only* require interoperability with other CORBA applications. Other applications may be constrained by such factors as a large existing code-base or a widely used communication ...
- 4** The basic object system: supporting a spectrum from prototypes to 78%
 hardened code
 Allen Dutoit , Sean Levy , Douglas Cunningham , Robert Patrick
ACM SIGPLAN Notices , Proceedings of the 11th ACM SIGPLAN conference on Object-oriented programming, systems, languages, and applications October 1996
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 BOS is a prototype-based, object-oriented toolkit aimed at better supporting evolutionary software development. BOS attempts to support a spectrum of activities in one environment---ranging from rapid prototyping to code hardening. Features enabling rapid prototyping include a prototype-based object model, an interpreted language, run-time argument constraints, position and keyword arguments, and a user interface toolkit. BOS also provides features for code hardening such as multi-methods, multi ...
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 Günter Karjoth
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- Volume 6 Issue 2
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 Scott R. Tilley
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- There is a significant difference between documenting large programs and documenting small ones. By large programs we mean on the order of 1,000,000 lines, usually written by many different people over a long period of time. Most software documentation may be termed *documenting-in-the-small*, since it typically describes the program at the algorithm and data structure level. To understand large legacy systems, one needs *documenting-in-the-large*: documentation describing the high-level ...
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- 8** The program understanding problem: analysis and a heuristic approach 68%



Steven Woods , Qiang Yang

Proceedings of the 18th international conference on Software engineering May 1996

Program understanding is the process of making sense of a complex source code. This process has been considered as computationally difficult and conceptually complex. So far no formal complexity results have been presented, and conceptual models differ from one researcher to the next. We formally prove that program understanding is NP hard. Furthermore, we show that even a much simpler subproblem remains NP hard. However we do not despair by this result, but rather offer an attractive problem so ...

- 9** Design and validation of QoS aware mobile internet access procedures 64%
for heterogeneous networks



Giuseppe Bianchi , Nicola Blefari-Melazzi , Pauline M. L. Chan , Matthias Holzbock , Y. Fun Hu , Axel Jahn , Ray E. Sheriff

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In this paper, the requirements for personal environments mobility are addressed from terminal and network perspectives. Practical mobility and Quality of Service (QoS) aware solutions are proposed for a heterogeneous network, comprising of satellite and terrestrial access networks connected to an IP core network. The aim, in adopting a heterogeneous environment, is to provide global, seamless service coverage to a specific area, allowing access to services independently of location. An importan ...

- 10** Routing: BANANAS: an evolutionary framework for explicit and 63%
multipath routing in the internet



H. Tahilramani Kaur , S. Kalyanaraman , A. Weiss , S. Kanwar , A. Gandhi

Proceedings of the ACM SIGCOMM workshop on Future directions in network architecture August 2003

Today the Internet offers a single path between end-systems even though it intrinsically has a large multiplicity of paths. This paper proposes an evolutionary architectural framework "BANANAS" aimed at simplifying the introduction of multipath routing in the Internet. The framework starts with the observation that a path can be encoded as a short hash ("PathID") of a sequence of globally known identifiers. The PathID therefore has global significance (unlike MPLS or ATM labels). This property a ...

- 11** Code migration through transformations: an experience report 63%




K. Kontogiannis , J. Martin , K. Wong , R. Gregory , H. Müller , J. Mylopoulos

Proceedings of the 1998 conference of the Centre for Advanced Studies on Collaborative research November 1998


One approach to dealing with spiraling maintenance costs, manpower shortages and frequent breakdowns for legacy code is to "migrate" the code into a new platform and/or programming language. The objective of this paper is to explore the feasibility of semiautomating such a migration process in the presence of performance and other constraints for the migrant code. In particular, the paper reports on an experiment involving a medium-size software system written in PL/IX. Several modules of the sy ...

12 Distributed programming with intermediate IDL 62%

 Gary W. Smith , Richard A. Volz
ACM SIGAda Ada Letters , Proceedings of the ninth international workshop on Real-time Ada June 1999
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Several heterogeneous-language distributed programming systems have been developed which either use an explicit Interface Definition Language (IDL) for the specification of distributed objects or which directly translate server language specifications to corresponding client language representations. In this paper, we present a new approach which combines the advantages of these prior systems. Our approach uses an IDL as an implicit intermediate step in the translation from server to client lang ...

13 Migration of procedural systems to network-centric platforms 57%

 Prashant Patil , Ying Zou , Kostas Kontogiannis , John Mylopoulos
Proceedings of the 1999 conference of the Centre for Advanced Studies on Collaborative research November 1999


Technologies developed over the past few years such as CORBA, Java and the Web, have made it easier to build and deploy distributed object applications. These technologies have also made a visible impact on legacy software system evolution. This paper focuses on the methods for re-engineering procedural systems into new Network-Centric platforms. The first step of this re-engineering method is to migrate a legacy system into an object oriented architecture. The extraction of the object oriented a ...

14 The SPEEDES Persistence Framework and the Standard Simulation 57%

 Architecture
 Dr. Jeffrey S. Steinman , Jennifer W. Wong
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This paper provides an overview of the SPEEDES persistence framework that is currently used to automate checkpoint/restart for the Joint Simulation System. The persistence framework interfaces are documented in this paper and are proposed standards for the Standard Simulation Architecture. The persistence framework fundamentally keeps track of memory allocations and pointer references within a high-speed internal database linked with applications. With persistence, an object, and the collection of object ...

15 Modeling coalition warfare: a multi-sided simulation design 56%

 Kevin Brandt , Ellen Roland
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16 Lessons from the battlefield 53%

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The pragmatic aspects of deploying large scale Object Oriented (OO) applications are examined. The focus is on identifying some of the main obstacles that arise in typical large scale OO projects, and offering hints about effective solutions. The topics are based on a number of actual large scale projects in which the author participated in a It significant capacity and solutions that he adopted or developed to deal with the

problems encountered.

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Cast Operations

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This chapter explains the new cast operations: `const` and `volatile` casts, `reinterpret` cast, `static` and `dynamic` casts.

The emerging C++ standard defines new cast operations that provide finer control over casting than previous cast operations. The `dynamic_cast<>` operator provides a way to check the actual type of a pointer to a polymorphic class. Otherwise, the new casts all perform a subset of the casts allowed by the classic cast notation. For example, `const_cast<int*>v` could be written `(int*)v`. The new casts simply categorize the variety of operations available to express the programmer's intent more clearly and allow the compiler to better check the code.

Cast Operations Options

To enable recognition of the cast operators, use the option

`-features=castop`, which is the default. To disable recognition of the cast operators, use the option `-features=no%castop`.

Const and Volatile Cast

The expression `const_cast<T>(v)` can be used to change the "const" or "volatile" qualifiers of pointers or references. `T` must be a pointer, reference, or pointer to member type. If `cv1` and `cv2` are some combination of `const` and `volatile` qualifiers (that is, `cv1` is `volatile` and `cv2` is `const volatile`), `const_cast` can convert a value of type "pointer to `cv1 T`" to "pointer to `cv2 T`", or "pointer to member of type `cv1 T`" to "pointer to member of type `cv2 T`". If we have an lvalue of type `cv1 T`, then `const_cast` can convert it to "reference to type `cv2 T`". (An lvalue names an object in such a way that its address can be taken.)

```

class A { public: virtual void f();

            int i; };

extern const int A::* cimp;
extern const volatile int* cvip;
extern int* ip;

void use_of_const_cast( )
{ const A a1;

  const_cast<A*>(a1).f( );    // remove const

  a1.*(const_cast<int A::*> cimp) = 1;    // remove const

  ip = const_cast<int*> cvip; }    // remove const and volatile

```

Reinterpret Cast

The expression `reinterpret_cast<T>(v)` changes the interpretation of the value of the expression `v`. It will convert from pointer types to integers and back again, between two unrelated pointers, pointers to members, or pointers to functions. The only guarantee on such casts is that a cast to a new type, followed by a cast back to the original type, will have the original value. It is legal to cast an lvalue of type `T1` to type `T2&` if a pointer of type `T1*` can be converted to a pointer of type `T2*` by a `reinterpret_cast`. `reinterpret_cast` cannot be used to convert between pointers to two different classes that are related by inheritance (use `static_cast` or `dynamic_cast`), nor can it be used to cast away `const` (use `const_cast`).

```

class A { public: virtual void f( ); };

void use_of_reinterpret_cast( )
{ A a1;

  const A a2;

  int i = reinterpret_cast<int>(&a1);    // grab address

  const int j = reinterpret_cast<int>(&a2); }    // grab address

```

Static Cast

The expression `static_cast<T>(v)` converts the value of the expression `v` to that of type `T`. It can be used for any cast that is performed implicitly on assignment. In addition, any value may be cast to `void`,

and any implicit cast can be reversed if that cast would be legal as an old-style cast. It cannot be used to cast away `const`.

```
class B          { public: virtual void g( ); };
class C : public B { public: virtual void g( ); };
void use_of_static_cast( )
{ C c;
  // an explicit temporary lvalue to the base of c, a B
  B& br = c;
  br.g( );    // call B::g instead of C::g
  // a static_cast of an lvalue to the base of c, a B
  static_cast<B&>(c).g( ); } // call B::g instead of C::g
```

Dynamic Cast

A pointer or reference to a class can actually point to any class publicly derived from that class. Occasionally, it may be desirable to obtain a pointer to the fully-derived class, or to some other base class for the object. The dynamic cast provides this facility.

The dynamic type cast will convert a pointer or reference to one class into a pointer or reference to another class. That second class must be the fully-derived class of the object, or a base class of the fully-derived class.

In the expression `dynamic_cast<T>(v)`, `v` is the expression to be cast, and `T` is the type to which it should be cast. `T` must be a pointer or reference to a complete class type, or "pointer to cv void", where cv is `[const][volatile]`. In the case of pointer types, if the specified class is not a base of the fully derived class, the cast returns a null pointer. In the case of reference types, if the specified class is not a base of the fully derived class, the cast throws a `bad_cast` exception. For example, given the class definitions:

```
class A          { public: virtual void f( ); };
class B          { public: virtual void g( ); };
class AB :       public virtual A, private B { };
```

The following function will succeed.

```

void simple_dynamic_casts( )
{
    AB ab;

    B* bp = (B*)&ab; // cast needed to break protection

    A* ap = &ab;      // public derivation, no cast needed

    AB& abr = dynamic_cast<AB&>(*bp); // succeeds

    ap = dynamic_cast<A*>(bp);          assert( ap != NULL );
    bp = dynamic_cast<B*>(ap);          assert( bp == NULL );

    ap = dynamic_cast<A*>(&abr);         assert( ap != NULL );
    bp = dynamic_cast<B*>(&abr);         assert( bp == NULL ); }

```

In the presence of virtual inheritance and multiple inheritance of a single base class, the actual dynamic cast must be able to identify a unique match. If the match is not unique, the cast fails. For example, given the additional class definitions:

```

class AB_B :      public AB,          public B { };
class AB_B_AB : public AB_B,         public AB { };

```

The following function will succeed:

```

void complex_dynamic_casts( )
{
    AB_B_AB ab_b_ab;

    A*ap = &ab_b_ab;

    // okay: finds unique A statically
    AB*abp = dynamic_cast<AB*>(ap);

    // fails: ambiguous
    assert( abp == NULL );

    // STATIC ERROR: AB_B* ab_bp = (AB_B*)ap;
    // not a dynamic cast
    AB_B*ab_bp = dynamic_cast<AB_B*>(ap);

    // dynamic one is okay
    assert( ab_bp != NULL );
}

```

The null-pointer error return of `dynamic_cast` is useful as a condition between two bodies of code, one to handle the cast if the type guess is correct, and one if it is not.

```
void using_dynamic_cast( A* ap )
{
    if ( AB *abp = dynamic_cast<AB*>(ap) )
    { // abp is non-null,
      // so ap was a pointer to an AB object
      // go ahead and use abp
      process_AB( abp ); }
    else
    { // abp is null,
      // so ap was NOT a pointer to an AB object
      // do not use abp
      process_not_AB( ap );
    }
}
```

If run-time type information has been disabled, i.e. `-features=no%rtti`, (See Chapter 5, "RTTI"), the compiler converts `dynamic_cast` to `static_cast` and issues a warning.

If exceptions have been disabled (See Chapter 4, "Exception Handling"), the compiler converts `dynamic_cast<T&>` to `static_cast<T&>` and issues a warning. The dynamic cast to a reference may require an exception in normal circumstances.

Dynamic cast is necessarily slower than an appropriate design pattern, such as conversion by virtual functions. See *Design Patterns: Elements of Reusable Object-Oriented Software* by Erich Gamma et al.